

Weekly Construction Update

Feb 9 - 13, 2015



Minnesota State Capitol Restoration Project

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What's New this Week

Our Commitment to a Safe Work Environment

- Air quality, temperature, humidity, sound levels and vibration in the Capitol building are continually monitored by the construction team.
- Expanded testing was recently conducted to more thoroughly ensure the air quality of the Capitol's public areas. Results determined that air quality meets or exceeds all regulatory standards.
- Additionally, equipment is being located away from building air intakes to minimize odors .



Reminder - Free Charging Stations Now Available!

- Recharge your laptops, cell phones, and tablets at any of the four locations throughout the Capitol.
- Rathskeller (2)
- 1st floor , North Wing (1)
- 2nd Floor, near elevators (1)

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Looking Ahead - Interior

- Fireproofing lower level shafts.
- Mechanical floor and wall shafts will be sawcut on all floors.
- Steel and new HVAC ducts will be installed in the new shafts.
- Masonry repairs will continue in the basement.

Looking Ahead - Exterior

- Quadriga level: Marble and masonry repairs are nearing completion.
- South façade: All windows have been removed on south façade except areas occupied by tenants. These will be removed after session.
- West Wing: Demolition will continue on the south façade. Scaffolding will be removed from the north façade in early February.
- North Wing: Scaffolding will be removed starting this week.
- The last shipment of capitals , the crowning features on columns, for the West Wing have arrived. It will take about three weeks to install and blend them into existing marble spaces.

Featured Notice

Did you know? Approximately 2,000 square feet of concrete is poured every week in the Capitol.

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Quick Links

Events and Rallies

[Capitol Complex Events Calendar](#)
[Alternate Indoor Venues](#) (PDF)

Accessibility, Parking, Dining

[Capitol Restoration Website](#)

Attending a Hearing

[Legislative Meeting Calendar](#)

Tours

[Minnesota Historical Society](#)
[Behind-the-Scenes Photos on Flickr](#)

Getting Around

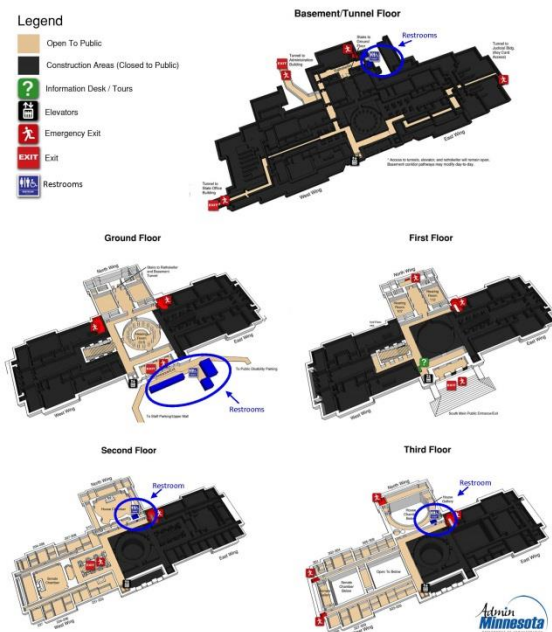
[What's Open/What's Closed](#) (PDF)
[Department Relocation List](#) (PDF)
[Public Safety During Construction](#) (PDF)
[Areas of Refuge Maps](#) (PDF)

Public Access Maps During the 2015 Legislative Session



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- Legend
- Open To Public
 - Construction Areas (Closed to Public)
 - Information Desk / Tours
 - Elevators
 - Emergency Exit
 - EXIT
 - Restrooms



To view or download
full-page maps by floor,
click a link below.

[Basement/Tunnel](#)

[Ground Floor](#)

[First Floor](#)

[Second Floor](#)

[Third Floor](#)

You can also view or download
the [Floor Maps flyer](#) seen at left
(all five floors on one page).

Questions or Comments?

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Visiting the Capitol? See the [Minnesota State Capitol Restoration Project website](#).

To browse planning and communications documents about this project visit the [Minnesota State Capitol Preservation Commission website](#).

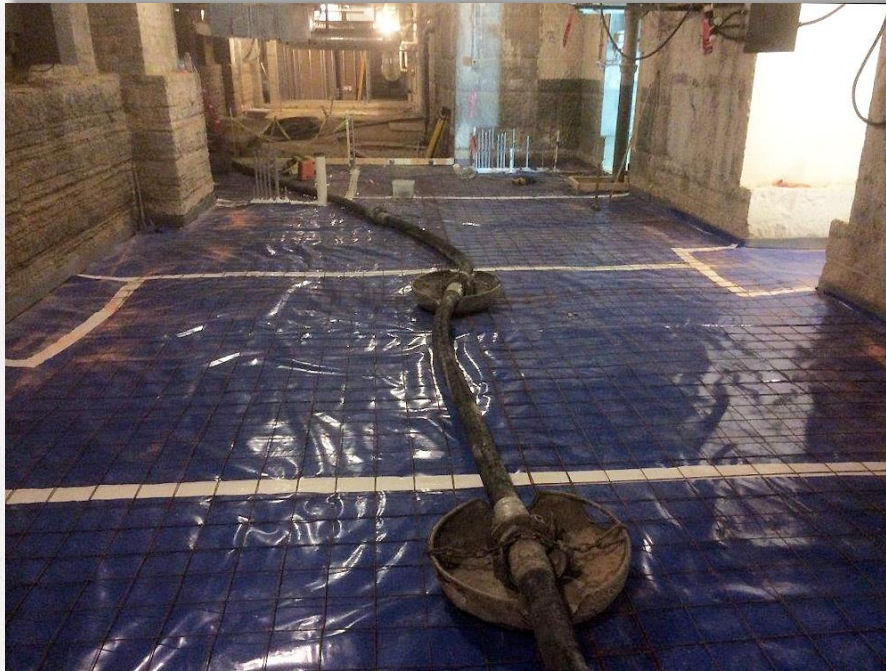
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Above: The basement floor is ready for a concrete pour.



Right: Waterproofing material has been installed on the loggia (the balcony on the second floor).

Learn the latest about parking, accessibility, news, and FAQs. Visit the [Minnesota State Capitol Restoration Project website](http://www.mn.gov/minnesota-state-capitol-restoration-project).